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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application of: G. Knowlton *et al.*

Serial No.: 09/010,822

Group Art Unit: 3641

Filed: January 22, 1998

Examiner: E. Miller

For: AUTOIGNITION COMPOSITION

Attorney Docket No.: 53293.5

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR § 1.136(a)**Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

It is respectfully requested that the time for response to the Office Action, dated January 20, 2000, be extended for a period of one month from April 20, 2000, the date now set, to and including May, 20, 2000. This Petition is being filed for the purpose of filing the Continued Prosecution Application, filed herewith.

The fee required for filing this Petition is estimated to be \$55.00. A check in the amount of \$472.00 required for the filing of this Petition and the Continued Prosecution Application is attached. Should any additional fees be required, however, please charge such fees to Graham & James Deposit Account No. 07-1855. A copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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